

## Message Text

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FM SECSTATE WASHDC  
TO AMEMBASSY TOKYO  
INFO USMISSION GENEVA  
AMEMBASSY PARIS

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GENEVA FOR USMTN, PARIS FOR USOECD

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EIND, EINV, BGEN, JA

SUBJECT: MITI INVESTIGATES ALLEGED UNFAIR SALES PRACTICES  
BY IBM-JAPAN

REF: (A) TOKYO 8205; (B) STATE 115685

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